

A G E N D A

REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

METROCENTER Auditorium

1:00-3:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY, December 7, 2011

PLEASE NOTE: *There will NOT be a meeting of the Regional Disaster Resilience Council this month.*

Committee may take action on any item on the agenda

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Public Comment**
3. **Approval of Regional Planning Committee Meeting Minutes – October 5, 2011**
4. **Oral Reports/Comments**
 - a. Committee Members
 - b. Staff
5. **INFORMATION: Growing Smarter Together Awards**

Ken Kirkey, ABAG Planning Director, will provide an overview of the Growing Smarter Together Awards Program. The awards recognize excellence in planning and development by local governments, and a significant commitment to achieving the regional planning goals of the FOCUS Initiative. There is also a distinguished leadership category which honors an elected official. *Local jurisdiction submittals for the 2012 program are due by 5 p.m. on Friday, February 17, 2012.*
6. **INFORMATION: Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS) and Regional Housing Need Allocation (RHNA) Updates**

ABAG staff will provide an update on the SCS process and schedule and an update on the RHNA methodology and the state housing allocation to the Bay Area.
7. **INFORMATION: Alternative Scenarios Employment Summary**

Staff will present information on employment in the Alternative Scenarios, including both the sector and geographic distribution of job growth.

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Next meeting: Wednesday, February 1, 2012